



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: ARTELSMAIR - 5 PCT (RCE-2)  
SERIAL NO.: 10/573,107 EXAMINER: Stephen J. RALIS  
FILED: MARCH 23, 2006 GROUP: 3742  
TITLE: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING AND/OR ADJUSTING A WELDING  
PROCESS

**PRELIMINARY RESPONSE IN RCE**

**MAIL STOP RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In advance of continued examination and in further response to the Final Office Action dated April 12, 2010 and the Advisory Action dated August 5, 2010, with the period for response having been extended by one month from July 12, 2010 until August 12, 2010 by petition and payment of the extension fee, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration on the basis of the following:

**Remarks/Arguments** which begin on page 2 of this paper.